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ALLIES GAINING ON SOMME; PRISONERS 3,000

Germans Renew Furious Attack on Verdun Front

NEAR LEMBERG

England and France Demand Control of Greek Wires

A combined attack by French and British forces on the Somme front, Sunday, resulted in an important gain of ground between the villages of Forest and Clery, which lie to the south of Combles and to the east of Maurepas, over an extent of nearly four miles. These places were occupied by the French, while the British captured a part of the village of Clery, and gained total possession of Guinchy. Thus the advance of the Entente allies is closing in on Combles, which at present is a powerfully fortified German stronghold.

In the various attacks launched by the British and French, more than 3,000 prisoners were taken, together with a large number of guns.

German positions east of the village of Fleury also were overrun by the French, who carried several trenches and dugouts works.

Furious Fighting

Germans returned to their attack in the Verdun sector, sending large forces of infantry against the French positions at Vaux and Châlons, and after heavy fighting gained a foothold in one of the French salients. At all points apparently the fighting continues with the utmost ferocity.

In the Balkans, German and Bulgarian troops already have crossed the Dobruja frontier, in Southeastern Rumelia, conquis with the object of preventing the advance of Russian into Bulgaria and Constantinople.

Furious battles are in progress between Russian and Austro-German forces in Galicia near Lemberg. Berlin reports repulse of Russians, but Petrograd declares the Teutons have been driven from fortified positions and that several heights have been captured on Greece.

Great Britain and France have sent a note to the Greek government demanding control over the Greek posts and telegraphs and insisting upon the deportation from Greece of agents of the Central Powers.

Entente allied reports from the Greek capital indicate the early announcement of an important change in the attitude of Greece.

Austrian artillery on the Trentino front is still shelling Italians. There have been numerous infantry engagements, but the situation is without material change.

Advance on Lemberg.

PETROGRAD, Sept. 3, via London—3:10 p. m.—Furious battles are being fought by Russian and Austro-German forces near Zichhoff and Halicz, to the east and southeast of Lemberg, in Galicia, according to today's Russian official statement, south of Bafayef in the Carpathians and in the region of Ternopil on the Bukowina-Ruthenian border. Russian troops, the announcement says, have driven the Germans from fortified positions and have captured several heights, taking 200 prisoners.

The text of the statement says: "Western (Russian) front: In the region of Riga, Germans attacked our troops, who drove the enemy back and inflicted severe losses. In the directions of Zichhoff and Halicz battles are raging.

In the region of Raput mountain and also in the region of Dornavatra, our troops captured several heights. The enemy's counter attack was repulsed by our fire. Here we captured 200 prisoners.

"Caucasian front: In the region of Terekhov, Germans fighting continue. The enemy has been put to flight at some points.

"Turkish attacks in the region of Terekhov were repelled by our fire. In the battle around this village we captured another gun."

AMERICAN KILLED OVER THE BORDER

Posse From California Side Seeks Slayers of Rancher

SAN DIEGO, Sept. 3.—Word was received here today of the murder of Albert Davies, an American, at his ranch thirty miles below the border by an unknown Mexican, for whom a posse, hastily assembled at Campo, Cal., made a futile search for many hours. The man-hunt extended for many miles around the Davies ranch but no trace of the murderer was found.

Davies, according to the story received here, was shot and killed Saturday by a Mexican whom he had given food and shelter. The only witnesses to the crime were two Indian laborers on the Davies ranch. One of the Indians brought word of the murder to Campo this morning and a posse of Campo citizens, friends of Davies, left a watch on the border and then crossed the line into Lower California, continuing their search without result.

SAN DIEGO, Oct. 3.—Clyde naval students from the northern Pacific coast were enroute north today on the steamer New Orleans via San Francisco, where shore leave will be granted Tuesday morning. The New Orleans departed yesterday following general inspection by the commanding officer.

DIRECTS ACTIVITY OF FEDERATED AMERICAN LABOR



FRANK MORRISON.

TO STOP WASTE OF HUMAN VALUE

Is Purpose of Organized Labor, Says A. F. of L. Secretary

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 3.—Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor, made public tonight the following statement in review of the labor situation: "It is impossible to record fundamental gains during the past year because of organized labor's agitation to individualize probable gains during the year to come.

"The best we can do is to observe tendencies. Prevalent among these is the workers' seizure of the cry for preparedness to emphasize a finger in the industry more deadly than battle-fields.

"Government statistics show that 60,000 men are annually killed and 300,000 are annually injured for a period of four weeks or over.

"It has been stated that every year there are over 3,000,000 cases of industrial illness caused mainly by long hours, low wages, dust, heat, air, fumes, smoke, poisons and poor ventilation and that through typhoid fever and malaria alone \$90,000,000 is annually lost to this nation. Enough to equip the largest army and navy in the world, ad then have a balance sufficient to pay the tuition of every boy now in college.

"A system of national preparedness that does not include recognition of this frightful and preventable wastefulness is a moral failing by big business.

"Another present-day tendency is the acceptance of organized labor's position on immigration restriction. During the past year the chief test of experience has verified the claim of trade unions that American institutions cannot assimilate nor American living standards resist the flood tides of induced immigration.

Industry, information and reports received by the officers of the American Federation of Labor clearly demonstrates the fact that a labor famine exists only where employers still demand long hours at low wages, and where they ignore the living standards set by the workers. Another element among employers who talk of the scarcity of labor do so to entice a sufficient number of idle workers to their factory gates as a menace to those employed and who are liable to demand better conditions.

These employers oppose restriction of immigration because restriction will defend their policy of having two or more men for every job.

"Another tendency is the growing opposition to labor injunctions, which class labor power as property. The Congress of the United States has voiced this opposition in amendments to the anti-trust laws. Judicial interpretations of the term 'property' in the fourteenth amendment to the federal constitution are losing their force. That was originally intended to be a general statement to thwart the enactment of social legislation, but courts have failed to check the swelling tide of democracy.

The trade union movement is conscious of the part it has played to this tendency above referred to and this consciousness will be a inspiration to greater effort during the coming year."

PIONEER PUBLISHER OF ILLINOIS IS DEAD

Hiram N. Wheeler Had Been Editor of Quincy Journal Since 1883

QUINCY, Ill., Sept. 3.—Hiram N. Wheeler, probably the oldest newspaper publisher in Illinois and editor and publisher of the Quincy Journal since 1883, died at Jacksonville, Ill., this morning, aged 72. His death was caused by a general breakdown. He had been failing health since his return last winter from Europe as a member of the Davies party.

In 1880 Mr. Wheeler went to Pekin, where he took charge of the editorial department of the Pekin Times. In 1881 he came to Quincy and bought the Herald which he edited and published for two years. It was in 1883 that he sold the Herald and brought out the first issue of the Quincy Journal, which he owned and published up to the time of his death.

Mr. Wheeler is survived by his widow and four children, two sons both now deceased and two daughters.

The nominees devoted some time today to a perusal of President Wilson's speech planning the itinerary of the trip.

MEXICAN BORDER COMMISSION TO MEET AT NEW LONDON

United States and Latin Members Both Reach New York

LANE SECRETARY

Portsmouth Found to Be Ill-Suited to the Session

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—All the members of the Mexican commission and the representatives of the United States appointed by their respective governments to settle the differences between the two countries were in this city tonight, preparatory to their departure for New London, Conn., Tuesday or Wednesday for joint conferences. J. Brooks Parker, assistant secretary to the United States commissioners, announced that the Connecticut city had been selected in place of Portsmouth, N. H., because the accommodations there were considered better. The party leaving here will consist of twenty-eight persons, all of whom will make the trip on the presidential yacht Mayflower.

Informal greetings were exchanged between the Americans and Mexicans tonight, but the members of the American commission will call tomorrow evening on the visitors and an hour later the Mexican commissioners will be guests at luncheon of Secretary Lane.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—The Adamson eight-hour day bill, enacted from Congress last week by the railroad brotherhoods as the price of falling off the nation wide strike ordered for tomorrow, was signed by President Wilson today in his private car at the Union station where he stopped on his way from Shadow Lawn, N. J., to Hodgenville, Ky.

That there may be no question as to the legality of this measure as a result of it having been signed on Sunday, the President will affix his signature again upon his return to Washington next Tuesday.

How long peace shall reign as a result of the bill is dependent upon developments in the proposed test of the constitutionality of the act. Should the railroads take no action, but await the beginning of an investigation of the workings of the 8-hour day by the special committee for which the measure provides, the brotherhoods will remain inactive. The employee leaders declare, however, that should the law be held unconstitutional, and the railroads attempt to restore the ten-hour day on their lines a strike will follow promptly.

Reports regarding the number of casualties and the damage caused by the great number of bombs dropped had not been completed this afternoon, but it was stated that the damage and loss of life were not heavy, considering the number of ships engaged.

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PRESIDENT SIGNS ADAMSON BILL; WILL SIGN AGAIN

Stops at Capital on Way From New Jersey to Kentucky

NO CEREMONIES

Federations Will Now Watch for Railroads to Make Move

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ACCUSE PRISONER OF STEALING U. S. MILITARY MAPS

NEW YORK, Sept. 3.—The theft of secret military maps of the United States was said to have been disclosed tonight when agents who recovered them accused Herbert Sauer, in jail here, of stealing them from command officers. The maps were recovered in a rooming house in Brooklyn, where Sauer lived.

13 ZEPPELINS RAID ENGLAND

One Airship Is Brought Down Near London; Few Casualties

ONDON, Sept. 3, 2:35 p. m.—Thirteen Zeppelin airships took part in the raid over the eastern coast last night, and an official statement issued this afternoon says it was the most formidable attack by airmen on England.

Only three of the ships were able to approach the outskirts of London. One of these was shot down and the other two were driven off by aircraft gun and machine guns.

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FIRE DESTROYS TWO BUILDINGS AT STATE FAIR; WILL REOPEN

Sky Rocket Falls on Roof of Pavilion; Loss About \$100,000; No One Hurt in Panic

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 3.—The main exhibit pavilion at the State fair grounds, the annex and the group of concessions known as the Midway, were wiped out by fire which broke out in the annex at 9:05 o'clock last night. The fire which burned fiercely for an hour, was confined to these three buildings and the field south of the pavilion. The grand stand, which stood comparatively close to the pavilion, was saved after a hard fight. The incendiary loss, according to Chas. W. Paine, secretary of the State Agricultural Society, will be only about \$75,000 for the buildings. The value of the exhibits, according to Paine, is nominal.

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The grand stand, which was filled with spectators at the time the fire broke out, was emptied by a stampede over benches and every other avenue to the ground. Impromptu fire fighters who attached garden hose to the standpipes in the vicinity, put a dozen small blazes on the dry timbers of the grand stand before the fire companies arrived.

The fire was preserved through the efforts of the company of engineers, California National Guard, now encamped at the fair grounds awaiting orders to move to the Mexican border.

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LINCOLN CABIN CEREMONY TODAY

President Is Making Trip to Hodgenville, Kentucky

Gospel Themes In Fresno Churches

God Source of All Well Being

Bethel Danish Lutheran.



The parable of the Pharisee and the Publican was taken as the basis of the sermon yesterday morning at Bethel Danish Lutheran Church by Rev. E. S. Rosenberg, who spoke in part as follows:

Luke 18:9-14: "Ply the grace of God. I can what grace which was bestowed upon me was not found vain." Thus the former Pharisee Paul exclaims to the Corinthians. He has judged himself and his life, he knows what he is and what has been the dominating power in his life, to-wit: the grace of God.

God Source of All Good

It is well to acknowledge that all what we are and possess has its source in the grace of God. There are too many who seem to have no idea about the source of their well being and are void of thanks to God.

The one of the two church givers about which our text treats has no conception of the grace of God. Therefore he has no need to receive anything from God, and this is why his words to God cannot be accused of being a prayer. Rather he is telling of how far he has advanced his life.

The Publican, on the contrary, has rendered his life's account, and it has shown a great deficit. He has only one thing to do, praying to God for mercy. He is not very eloquent in his plea and this seems to be true in the most cases of need. He can only utter, "God, be thou merciful to me, a sinner."

Significance of Parable

But in looking a little closer at the parable, it seems especially aimed at certain ones who trusted in themselves that they were righteous, and set all others at naught. The essence of prayer must be guided by a humble mind, showing one's lack of power to help himself, as well as right to demand it of one due from God—trusting only in the unfathomable and inexhaustible free grace of God. Where this mind is lacking there is a person on the road leading away from faith and prayer and must come to trust in himself and set all others at naught. The false righteousness pride was one of the very first things our Lord sought in His platform as He outlined it in the sermon on the Mount.

Attitudes of Two Men

The two churchgoers, then, went up into the temple for the same purpose, to the service which was common every day in the Jewish temple, and hence attended the sacrifice. But the Pharisee is not gripped by the beautiful service. Neither does it create any knowledge within him of personal sin, nor any desire for the grace of God and His mercy.

We have reason to ask what a churchgoer in our time brings with him when he attends the church service and what he carries with him home after the visit to the house of the Lord. Let me earnestly advise that you bring all your troubles and perplexing questions and all your desires to the house of worship, where the Word of God is proclaimed, and as sure as it has guided before, it shall light up your path and you shall carry home convictions and resolutions that shall strengthen you in your daily toil.

We get an idea about the Publican's state of mind when we read that he was standing afar off, would not lift up so much as his eyes unto heaven. His conscience was struck and he utters the broken hearted cry, "God, be thou merciful to me a sinner." That was sufficient for the merciful God. The Publican went home as a justified man and was certainly carried home with him a blessed remembrance from his visit to church.

In order to imitate the prayer of the Publican, you must see the deficit in your life. You cannot use the measurement common in the world—it is not the standard. God should be the center in our life. Whenever this measure is used, you will be able to see the deficit. It is with such an accounting you must start, however painful it be. No human life was born without pain. A living prayer about the grace of God is neither born nor without pain.

The grace of God is worth while. I dare say it is the strongest power on earth, able to build up and destroy. The one who has me, the Lord, here can go out into the world and bring his fellowmen with some of its destroying power and he can in truth and spirit pray, "Forgive us our trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us."

The Homes Our Nation Needs

—Unitarian.



The speaker holding a brief for a true and scientific view of marriage and raising of children. Rev. Russel spoke in part as follows:

Physical View of Marriage

Dr. J. Harvey Deere, pastor of the First Baptist Church, spoke at the closing service of the summer series of indoor meetings in Court House Park last night, closing as his subject, "Outdoing the Pharisees." In the main, Dr. Deere spoke as follows:

Emerson, who is a right, has said the name of Christ has not so much been written as it has been plowed into the history of this world. In part is this due to His love of the genuine and His hatred of the false. Therefore He says in the words of our text, "Except your righteousness shall exceed the righteousness of the Herodites and Pharisees, you shall in no case enter into the Kingdom of heaven."

Text A Personal One

As searching as this text is, I must confess that I like it. It is personal. It puts the race square up to each of us. It sets a standard. I have read of a lad whose bantam chickens had aggregated six small eggs. He hit on a method to change the results. Imagining the rasher's surprise when upon entering the chicken house the next day he saw a big ostrich egg suspended near the roost, with these words on a card attached: "Keep your eye on this and to your best." In the language of the text Jesus says to measure the Pharisee's standard of righteousness and then go on beyond it.

Realm of Religion

Religion must move in a visible realm. We must build churches, make public prayers, give to charity, keep Sunday sacred, send our children to church, and go ourselves. But all these things we may do and still be as guilty as the Pharisees. The heart must go with the hand. Righteous deeds are important, but righteous belief is all essential. The heart must be cleansed and kept. Otherwise we are nothing beyond the Pharisees, and our destiny cannot differ from theirs.

Marriage a Social Institution

This is only the physical view of marriage. There is also the scientific view, the view of marriage as a social institution. Society has swung from the extreme of social despotism over our individual life in marriage to the other extreme. It sometimes seems, of considering the individual as too important. Hence the free love notions of our day, which forget that society is concerned in marriage. We need not so much stricter laws to prevent divorce, but more work at the other end, to make marriage itself more serious and not just a sport, or whim or excursion. From my knowledge of family tragedie and from the opinion of divorce judges, I am inclined to believe that the time is near when we shall require two or three months public notice of intention to marry, unless a superior judge shall grant a less period or an immediate marriage for good reasons shown in public hearing in open court. Perhaps there will be a booklet on Marriage. In its relation to the state and to the rights of children to be given to all who would be married and to be studied by them with an examination prior to the granting of a marriage license.

The Five-Fold Aspect

Marriage must be considered in its five-fold aspect, however, to be understood in its relations to real national preparedness, inward strength. It must be considered in its physical, its commercial, its scientific, its political or romantic, and its moral and spiritual aspects. If any one of these aspects is left out we are doing second-class thinking upon this greatest of personal and national problems at all times.

Both religion and science point to the Christian ideal of monogamy, one man choosing one woman, one woman choosing one man, for life, with loyalty to a self-imposed choice through all hardships and misunderstandings, as after all the true ideal, with divorce, while sometimes necessary, always terrible and a tragic thing.

"Tangled Threads", Topic of Rev. Beal

Speaks to Men in Park Under Auspices of Y. M. C. A.

"Many lives are embittered by circumstances," said Rev. Charles Lautent Beal to the men in Court House Park yesterday afternoon. "The world seems but a mass of tangled threads which cannot be unwound. It is at such times that man should have faith in God, for faith in Him who made these things will clear away all doubts and misunderstandings."

"Tangled Threads" was the title that had been announced. Rev. Beal, who is pastor of the North Side

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Pharisee Words Not Sufficient

—Union Service.



The first sermon of the protestant series entitled "True Preparedness—What Shall America Do to Be Strong?" was delivered yesterday morning by Rev. Christopher Reuss of the Unitarian Church. The title of the first of the "preparedness" series was entitled "The Toes of the Nation Needs." —Unitarian.

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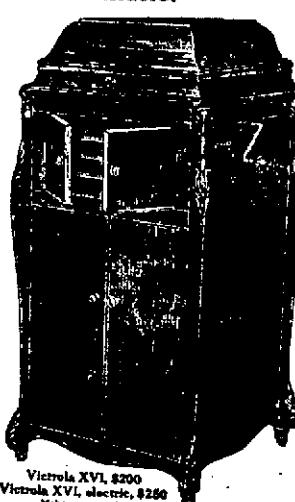


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German Lieutenant Tells of His Experiences in War Area

(By Continental Press Association)

WAHSAW.—The General School News, a daily newspaper for the County of Westerwald, Germany, publishes the story of a Nassauian school teacher who, while serving as a Lieutenant at the Westerwald, has organized a school at Westerwald, a town of 500 inhabitants in Russian Poland.

"On November 12 of last year," says the teacher in his account of the new school, "I received orders to organize a school of several classes at Westerwald, and went to work immediately after a conference with the policeman on duty in the town. It seemed impossible at first to find a building that would be large enough for the purpose. But I finally found an abandoned house of a cattle trader, surrounded by a large court, and I decided to use the spacious building for the schoolhouse. The next difficulty was to procure benches for the pupils, but after a thorough search a large number was found in the attic of a former private school. At the same place I found some blackboards and other school furnishings.

"Now I was pretty well in shape to start the school, and lessons began November 15. The pupils at first came very irregularly, but their number steadily increased. There were about two hundred boys and girls between the ages of 5 and 14 years of age. Noisy and yelping, the youngsters pushed together in groups, shouting, laughing, and talking in the most impossible costumes. The boys appeared with long hair and unkempt,穿着 old, long-banded, ragged or infinity rags. They were clothed in thick, long coats, caps and with fur. Some of them were barefooted, others wore high, tight, button-down boots, boots, high stockings, and were barefooted with socks. The girls were somewhat cleaner and their dresses fitted a little better, only their over-

coats and gauwls, which the Russian maidens wear with a certain pride around their heads and shoulders, were quite antiquated. The girls in many instances were in stockings, and their feet were stuck in boots much too large. The figures of a number of the Jewish girls were set off advantageously by better-fitting gowns. They had cleaner and more intelligent faces, nicely combed hair and better manners.

Some Speak German

"I started to grade this young human material. A Polish-speaking sergeant assisted me in this work, acting as an interpreter. After I got control over the crowd of youngsters and they had quieted down a little, I asked: 'Who understands and speaks a little German?' 'I-I-I' came the yelled answer from different sides of the room, and all the answers came from the mouths of Jewish children. The representatives of intelligence in Russia," he said, "are inferior to us. I am a German teacher. But the majority of the youngsters had never been taught, and they were more or less disciplined in the beginning in good manners for a couple of hours in the afternoon. Boys and girls played and did their physical exercises separately. Later, all of them little brothers will be given elementary lessons."

"This school has shown good results already, especially if one considers the short time of its existence. The children in the German class show great interest. At first among the pupils there was much stupidity, but there was many a pair of bright eyes to be seen which meant that there were in the assemblage many valuable mental powers, which were waiting to be awakened and developed.

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CONGRESSMEN RUSH CENTRAL COMMITTEE TO SUPPORT JOHNSON

State Organization to Seek Election of Complete Republican Ticket

Do Not Wait for Formal Adjournment This Week

Revenue Bill Only Measure Left on Session Program

WASHINGTON, Sept. 3.—The congressional session, after nine months of adjournment, has already begun. With adjournment practically assured by Wednesday or Thursday, scores of members packed their campaign speeches last night and telephoned for trains bound for political battlefields.

All that remains on the administrative legislative program in the Senate is the revenue bill and the Webb bill to protect American exports to establish competition among foreign nations. Senate leaders plan to incorporate the Webb bill into the revenue bill as an amendment in order to assure quick action on it. It is Senator Souther's opinion that the revenue measure will be ready for conference by Tuesday night and that Congress should adjourn by Thursday at the latest.

Informal conferences on Senate amendments to the revenue bill are already in progress.

PATTON WILL TOUR NORTH COAST COUNTIES

Democratic Plans for National and State Campaigns

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 2.—George S. Patton, Democratic candidate for the United States Senate, will start on his speaking tour of the state next Tuesday.

He will leave this city by automobile on the San Joaquin, about 8:15 o'clock in the morning, arriving at San Rafael at 10; Petaluma at 12:30; Sebastopol at 3, and Santa Rosa at 6, addressing a meeting in that city at 8 o'clock in the evening.

Leaving Santa Rosa at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning, Patton will make stops at Fulton and Windsor, on his way to Healdsburg, where he is due at noon. He is scheduled for Geyserville at 2 o'clock, Cloverdale at 3:30; Hopland at 5, and Ukiah at 6, where he will remain for the night.

On Thursday the Democratic candidate speaks at Willits at noon, taking the train there to Eureka, where he will address a meeting at 6:30 p.m.

Returning from Eureka, Patton is due at Calistoga at 5 o'clock on the afternoon of Friday, making a brief stop at St. Helena and speaks at Napa in the evening.

On Saturday Patton will be back in San Francisco.

Leader Beckwith, Democratic national committeeman, returned from Washington yesterday. He says that Franklin K. Lane, Senator Ollie James of Kentucky and former Governor Martin Glynn of New York will prob-

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HONOR TO LABOR

Never, since the Garden of Eden, have men been agreed as to whether work is a blessing or a curse. But we know that it is only by labor that humanity is able to win its bread, and humanity must agree, among itself, as to how that labor shall be performed.

Perhaps it is regrettable that special effort should be needed to make labor "honorable." If all men worked, as they should, there would be a dignity about toil that would be understood, rather than expressed. May there come the day when the only excuse from performing an equitable share in the toil of existence shall be a capacity for doing a greater good to humanity than that of physical exertion.

JOIN THE CARAVAN!

It does not appear at this writing just how much damage was done by fire at the State Fair buildings at Sacramento, and we trust that there is enough left to allow the completion of the program of the week. But in any case we sincerely hope that the people of Fresno and the San Joaquin Valley will carry out the Caravan that has been planned for this coming Thursday and Friday. We owe it as a measure of good will to the people of Sacramento who have invited us. The trip in itself will be sufficient reward, and the welcome at that end will be a super-added pleasure. Join the caravan, next Thursday, and go to Sacramento!

FRESNO NORMAL

Next Monday, the faculty and student body of the Fresno State Normal school will take possession of the edifice that has been erected for their use in the northern suburbs of this city. This is an occasion for pleased recollection of the efforts of educators and citizens here and throughout the San Joaquin Valley, which have resulted in the upbuilding of an institution of which all Central California can be proud. While the dedication of the structure will not take place until sometime in October next, and while the Fresno Normal school has been a thriving institution for some four years now, the act of taking formal possession of the building is in itself an epochal occasion. It marks the consummation of much hope and labor, much patient and persistent effort in pursuit of an educational ideal for Central California.

It is now some fifteen years since the pioneer work was begun for a normal school here. It is eight years since the first committee of educators and other citizens from this part of the state presented their claims to the education and finance committees of the state legislature. Fresno was not alone in asking for the establishment of the school. Committees from King, Tulare, Madera and counties farther away were heard in its behalf. The need of a school in Central California was keenly felt. Up to that time young people desiring training for teachers usually had to go to San Jose, if not farther, for their courses. The co-operation of the Valley for Fresno at that time has been justified by the patronage of the school. Since its establishment, it has grown at a very rapid rate, drawing more heavily from its adjacent population than has any other state school of the kind, and with an attendance almost exclusively from the Valley. Central California needed the school and has given it support accordingly.

The best efforts of a carefully chosen faculty have been given to making the construction of this building especially effective for institutional work. There has been sufficient but not too much attention given to aesthetic surroundings. There has been a careful consideration given to rapid handing of classes in lecture and laboratory. Health and comfort and proper mental equipment have been given attention. When, next month, Governor Johnson, the president of the University of California and Stanford, the members of the state board of education and other visitors join with normal school trustees and the faculty in dedicating the building to a long career of usefulness, it will be appropriate for Fresno to rejoice once again that it has been made the site for this institution for the training of the trainers of future citizens.

SINCERITY FIRST

It appears that a woman citizen of Fresno who has a house for rent discovered that her tenant was district agent of a brewing concern. She was one of those who are opposed to the liquor business. She gave notice that she desired her tenant to abandon possession in one month's time. The tenant has taken his troubles to the Sacramento Bee, in which the correspondence between owner and tenant is published, together with an editorial in which the incident is catalogued as "a sample of Christianity from the city of Fresno."

Perhaps we are a little sensitive about this subject because we are from Fresno and not from Sacramento, and therefore, feel contrite—we have but one brewery in our town, whereas Sacramento has two. But we cannot help feeling that the wrong done to the brewery agent by being ejected from his rented home is but an excuse for hanging thereon about prohibition in general. He and the tenant both deserve the wrong of

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receiving a brewery agent out of a job, which apparently has nothing to do with the tenancy of the house, or with a personal difference as to whether Christianity does or does not prohibit liquor selling. In fact, since the editor of the Bee makes some profession of human as well as Christian principles himself, we think the sneer on Christianity in Fresno somewhat ill-made.

Supposing, for example, that the lady in question should have accepted her tenant's patronage without comment, banking the money regularly from month to month. Supposing that she should, as is her right, have publicly and frequently expressed her disapproval of the business of selling liquor. Supposing that she had imposed by voice and pen the liquor business in Sacramento, would not the Bee, if made certain of the facts, have denounced the lady for inconsistency? Would not the hypocrisy of accepting money from a man in the liquor business while talking against that business have been the occasion for an even more powerful editorial than this on "a sample of Christianity in Fresno?"

In fact, the lady who refused to take from a tenant money which she felt to be unclean, should be honored by wet or dry advocate, for there are too few of that kind. We have plenty of the other. There are several houses for rent in Fresno. There is no boycott against the gentleman. The brewery agent can easily get another home. The owner may not easily get a good a tenant. She is probably inflicting a much greater loss on herself than on him. And the Bee is getting unduly excited over one woman's concept of Christianity. Sincerity is nearly as important a moral quality as charity, and in this case more nearly indispensable.

NOT ORDERED BY CHIEF OF POLICE

Editor Republican: In your report and account of the preparations for the labor day parade in Sunday's issue, you make the assertion that the chief of police issued orders to every saloon proprietor in Fresno to close their places of business during the parade as a precaution against rowdism. Realizing that you have always been well informed enough to correct mistakes which often occur in journalism, we feel confident that you will afford us this article space in your next issue and correct the implication that it was necessary, in order to assure the success of a parade of laboring men in Fresno, to invoke the aid of the police to close all the bars in the city. Such an accusation is not only ridiculous but a misstatement of facts. Two weeks ago, when the bartenders union, comprising 100 members, were invited to participate, it was decided to ask the proprietors to grant us the courtesy of two hours off in order to parade. A converse was then made of the proprietors, with the result that every one of them willingly and gladly consented to our request. This was merely a request, not a demand, from this union, and certainly was not the result of any order from the police department, as will be vouchsed for by Chief Goethling himself.

STEVE SHERIDAN
Bartenders Union

DOG DAYS IDEA
FOUNDED ON MYTH

With heat oppressive and discomforting, certain to leave its mark on the summer months, so certain is it that local authorities of townsfolk the country over will gird themselves for the mad dog, which seldom, if ever, comes their way. This local preparation for the "dog days" is an established custom, apparently as inexcusable as it is without raying or reason.

There has in season's preference,

winter or summer, spring or autumn, bubbles, if it is burking around, will out. Our grandmothers, however, talked of "dog days" as did their grandmothers. Therefore the myth must be kept rolling on from generation to generation, despite common sense and the fallacy of all that.

Few persons have seen a rabid dog, few ever will. Those who have will never forget it or ever mistake it for aught else. Tortures such as received in the halcyon days of Nuremberg could not surpass it. And it is for this reason a rabid dog avoids, not "courts" contact. Solitude and escape from the hellish torment which grips him are the ever-increasing impulses of the victim. He snaps at obstacles in his way from sheer dread of the pain of contact.

Returning to the subject of "dog days," this are more prevalent than at any other season. The chief reason for this is that more litters of pups are born in early spring than at any other period. This means that there are more teething puppies during the hot spell than at any other time of the year. Dogs suffer from their teeth as do children. Their mouths never cease to gnaw, and taken all in all, the teething party is tamed up in a pitch where he would jump at a shadow or be scared out of his wits at a rustling leaf.

In this condition he is taken out, or gets out, into the hot sun. Some mischievous lasses startle him and he's off, darting hither and thither, to the accompaniment of short, sharp yaps. As most people are loth to handle a strange dog in its sense, few are inclined to grab by the scruff of the neck an apparently mad dog. The only alternative is to let the unfortunate dog somewhere out of the light, a collar or a cupboard. Once in a dark place the fit will subside. In all probability, in a few minutes. When it does, leave the stricken one to himself for half an hour, and unless he is again unduly excited it will probably prove his first and last offense. If the fit should recur, bromide of potassium shaken on the tongue, 5 grains for a dog the size of a fox terrier and so on in proportion, should have the desired effect, or at all events a repetition of the dose should be given only between spasms.—New York Herald.

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Forests and Dry Weather

Have Drouths Increased as the Land is Cleared for Cultivation?

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You believe that the turning of forest areas into cultivated fields, pasture lands, vineyards and orchards, and the subinhabitation of the wilderness in proportion to the magnitude of the areas affected, but this does not mean that there is any great difference in the climatic effect of a forest covering and one of bushes or of grass, or of growing crops; and it does not signify that there is sufficient change in the thermal condition due to the activities of man as to make an appreciable difference in the temperature, at an altitude of one or two hundred feet, to affect the general climatic conditions, or to cause storms to be more frequent than formerly or of greater intensity, or to increase the amount of precipitation. The most of the condensation takes place several thousand feet from the surface of the earth (probably one or two miles), and the air, even during the fall of rain, is almost never saturated, near the ground. Therefore forests do not exercise an appreciable influence in the stratum in which precipitation takes place.

It has been stated that the climate is so materially affected by the cutting away of the forests that the well-being of future generations is menaced.

The public conscience has been aroused. Large appropriations of public money have been made for the purchase of water sheds and reforestation and plans laid that will lead into the expenditure of hundreds of millions of dollars.

But may it not be that in our rightous indignation at the monopolization of much of the nation's wealth of land, forest, of mine, and of water power, and in the just anxiety to formulate remedial plans and laws for the future, we have accepted as established truth the unspoken statements of honest but unscientific forest enthusiasts? The pruning of our ground as we go along does not mean that we shall not progress; it means that we shall move in the right direction, instead of wasting time and money in the following of a policy based upon fallacious reasoning.

There appears to be plenty of evidence that there have been times in the remote past when the salt seas both of Asia and of America, had an area of greatly increased size over those that now exist. In certain of those regions trees once grew more abundantly than is now the case. This however must not be taken as proof that there has not been a decrease in rainfall due to destruction of forests. It is true that the forests have diminished in some cases disappeared, and it is also true that the evidence strongly supports the assumption of a decrease in rainfall, and therefore, of course, in rainfall or less change in climate. But this decrease in rainfall might better be regarded as the cause rather than as the result of the barren condition of these salts. There is no evidence that the forests have ever been more extensive in Alaska and other high-latitude countries, too, just as in arid regions of the great continents, there is evidence of the same slow long-period climatic change that cannot be due to deforestation. This evidence consists in the slow irregular retreat and diminution of the glaciers, which phenomenon is universal, regardless of latitude, and of elevation, and which appears to have been in more or less steady progress since the culminating of the great ice age. In the culminating of the great ice age, in the evidence that the forests have ever been more extensive in Alaska and other high-latitude countries, too, just as in arid regions of the great continents, there is evidence of the same slow long-period climatic change that cannot be due to deforestation. 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LOCAL BREVITIES

News and Advertisements

Lunch boxes, many
kinds, lowest prices,
at Hollands'.

Dr. Kelly has returned.

Use Danish Creamery Butter.

Jersey Farm Dairy. Pasteurized milk.

For glasses see Dr. Lalane, Republican
Optician.French Bread "De Luxe." The Atheneum
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children's specialist, 618 Griffith-Mc-

Kenia.

General transferring, baggage, freight
contractors; moving and packing by ex-
perienced men; brick warehouses. Penn's
Outfit, 682.The business office of the Fresno Re-
publican will be open on Labor Day,
(Monday, Sept. 4th), only between the
hours of 5:30 and 8 o'clock p. m.

PERSONAL MENTION

Judge Henshaw and Mrs. Henshaw
stopped for a short time yesterday at the
Hotel Fresno. They are motoring from
San Francisco to southern California
and will visit the exposition at
San Diego.F. D. Roberts and wife of San Fran-
cisco are guests at the Sequoia.Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Athey and chil-
dren of Denver are at the Hotel Fresno.
They are motoring from San Francisco
to southern California.Laura E. Shryer of Terre Haute, Ind.,
is registered at the Sequoia.William P. Filmer of San Francisco,
head of the Scottish Rite Masonry in
northern California, was here yesterday
and stopped at the Hotel Fresno.M. N. Zar of San Francisco is at the
Sequoia.T. J. Shear of Los Angeles is registered
at the Hotel Fresno.J. J. Vacchino and sister, Miss Rose
Vacchino, both of Modesto, are motoring
to southern California and registered
yesterday at the Sequoia.Robert M. Marden, an automobile man
from San Francisco, has become asso-
ciated with the local agency. He is
staying at the Hotel Fresno.E. T. Cheffins of San Francisco, an
official of the A. A. A., was at the
Hotel Fresno yesterday.R. A. Bishop of Long Beach is a guest
at the Hotel Fresno.J. T. Brooks, San Jose banker, Mrs.
Brooke, Miss Brooke and Mrs. J. D.
Whittle are visiting with Mr. and Mrs.
Wingate Lake at the Hotel Fresno.Charles E. of Honolulu is registered
at the Hotel Fresno.Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Goffman, returned
from a summer outing at Yosemite last
night.Hubert E. Hunt, formerly a city editor
of the San Francisco Chronicle, is regis-
tered at the Hotel Fresno.Luncheon at Commercial Club
Tomorrow to Arrange to Take
Part in Caravan to Big FairMembers of the Commercial Club
of this city will today receive in-
vitations to attend the luncheon that
will be given tomorrow noon at the
club to make complete arrangements
to take part in the automobile car-
avan that will be sent to Sacramento
for San Joaquin Valley Day at the
state fair. All members of the club
are urged to attend this luncheon as
it will be the first big gathering since
the rooms have been gathered after
the fire damage. The Commercial
Club, in co-operation with the other
city organizations, the city and
Valley, will send a big crowd to
Sacramento. Short speeches will be
made at the luncheon tomorrow. The
boosters of the Commercial Club are
going on the trip. The Chamber of
Commerce, Fresno District Fair As-
sociation, Merchants Association and
Traffic Association will send their
directors and many members.Sign Your Coupon
Many additional coupons were re-
ceived at the Republican office yester-
day and all who plan on going on the
trip, no matter in what section of the
Valley they reside, are urged to send
the accompanying coupon and mail
it once to the Republican office. This
is done merely to get a check on the
number of machines that will invade
Sacramento. Cities from south of
Fresno are urged to start early enough
so that they will reach here by 8
a. m. Thursday morning. The street
will be made from the Republican
promptly at 8 o'clock. The trip
will be made on the state highway
and stops will be made at all of the
towns enroute so that additional
machines can enter the caravan.The Chamber of Commerce will take
a drama corps to Sacramento and en-
route along the state highway will
be serenaded. The State Fair As-
sociation has extended an invitation to
the California Associated Baisin Com-
pany to send the Sun Maid band to
Sacramento. Directors of the Associa-
tion will act on the invitation today.
If the band is sent to Sacramento, it
is thought that about 50 machines will
go on the trip. Many Fresno business
houses are sending representatives in
the trip.

Federal Bank Hearing

A large number of prominent busi-
ness men, bankers and farmers, who
are going on the automobile trip, will
be requested to stay in Sacramento
Saturday and attend the hearing be-
fore the newly appointed Federal Farm
Loan Board. The civic organizations
are working for this bank for Fresno
and put many Pacific Coast cities are
seeking the federal bank and will
make representation at the hearing
Saturday.Thousands of requests to the U. S.
Treasury Department for information
regarding the application of the law
indicate that this is the great nation-wide interest
in its provisions.Secretary McAdoo predicts that the
banks will be ready for operation Jan-
uary 1st or shortly thereafter.

Fresno Republican's Auto Caravan

TO

State Fair at Sacramento

We will join the Fresno Republican's Auto Caravan with
automobiles to the State Fair at Sacramento,
leaving Fresno on Thursday, September 7th, 1916, at 8 a. m.
—To participate in "San Joaquin Valley Day" (Friday)—and
to extend greetings to our neighbors on the north.Signed.....
City.....PLEASE SIGN THIS BLANK AND MAIL AT ONCE TO EXPLO-
TATION DEPARTMENT, FRESNO REPUBLICAN.

GIVING OUT

The Struggle Discourages

Many a Citizen of Fresno

Around all day with an aching
back;

Can't rest at night;

Enough to make any one "give
out."Doan's Kidney Pills are helping
thousands.

They are for kidney backache;

And other kidney-ills.

Here is Fresno proof of their merit:

C. M. Lindstrom, 319 Howard St.,

Fresno, says: "I think the jarring and

jolting of the cars is what weakened

my kidneys and brought on kidney

complaint. Many times, when I tried

to stoop, sharp pains caught me in

the small of my back and I could

hardly move. I had pains in the back

of my head and dizzy spells. Doan's

Kidney Pills gave me beneficial re-
sults."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't

simply ask for a kidney remedy—get

Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that

Mr. Lindstrom had. Foster-Milburn

Co., Props, Buffalo, N. Y.

—Advertisement.

Alexander Russel, a retired lumber-
man, died at the late residence on
Brawley avenue yesterday evening,
after an illness of more than a month.
Stephens & Bean, who have charge of
the remains, will announce the funeral
later.Alexander Russel was 63 years of
age and a native of Nova Scotia. He
had lived in California for forty years,
and for several years in this country.
He is survived by two sisters living in
Nova Scotia and Boston.

THAT PAINFUL CORN

Can be cured with S. C. Corn Paint

when all other remedies fail. Genuine

only to be had at Smith Bros. Drug
Store.GREEN FRUIT MEN
WILL START WORKPicking Commenced and
Cars Will Be Sent to
Eastern CitiesNow that the strike has been averted
and the embargoes have been lifted
by the railroads, it is predicted thatthere will be much activity in the
green fruit market and that shipping
on a big scale will be started today
or tomorrow. When news that the em-
bargoes had been lifted was received in
Fresno late Saturday afternoon, a few vineyardists started pickers to
work. It is not thought, however, that
many cars of grapes will be ready for
the eastern markets until Tuesday at
the earliest.Prices were very good at the close
of the market last week in the east
and now that the green fruit, on hand
has been cleaned out shippers pre-
dict that good prices will prevail for
the rest of the season, provided, how-
ever, the auction markets are not
glutted.REHORN FUNERAL
AT HOME-TODAYFuneral services for Frank Rehorn,
who died in San Francisco Thursday,
will be held this morning at 10 o'clock
from the late residence, S and Mar-
pion streets. Dean G. R. E. Macdonald
and Rev. H. G. Breeden will be in
charge of the obsequies at the home.

The Masons, Elks and Knights of

Pythons will form a funeral escort and
conduct services at the Fresno Crematorium.

DEATHS

FIOVOCCHIO—In Fresno City, 481 Poplar
avenue, September 2, 1916. Augustine
Diochicchio, a native of Italy, aged 61
years.The funeral will leave the late resi-
dence tomorrow (Tuesday) morning at
8:30 o'clock, thence to the St. John'sCatholic church arriving there at 9
o'clock, where mass will be celebrated
for the repose of the soul. Interment

Calvary cemetery, Fresno City. Friends

and acquaintances are respectfully in-
vited to attend.

ATTENTION OF KNIGHTS

The Sir Knights of Fresno Com-
mandry No. 29 Knights Templar willassemble at the Asylum at 8 a. m.
sharp, Monday, Sept. 4th, for the

purpose of attending the funeral of

our late brother, Frank Rehorn. The

automobile will be left and again

occupied at the Masonic Temple.

Visiting Sir Knights are invited to

attend.

By order of the eminent commander.

ROY HALL.

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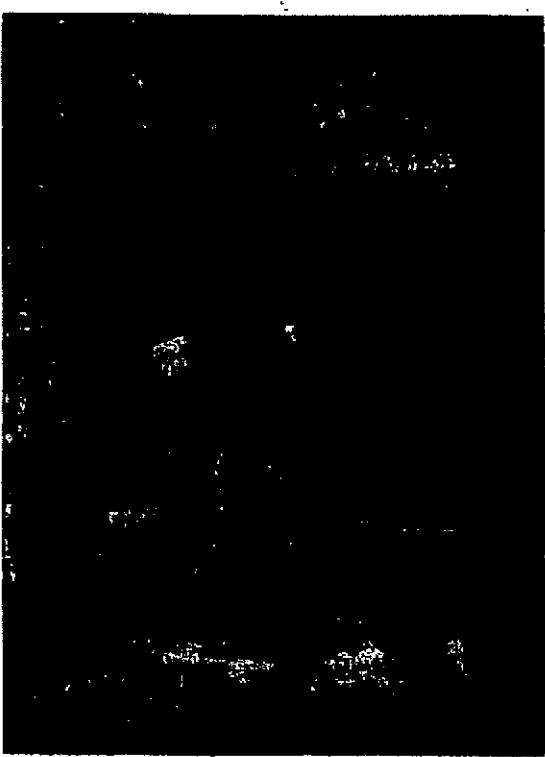
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SENSATIONAL FILM, "WHERE ARE MY CHILDREN" - WHITE



Tyrone Power and Helen Raums in "Where Are My Children?" - New play at White Theater

Two large audiences, matinee and evening, witnessed the opening performance of "Where Are My Children?" yesterday at the White theater. The White theater management promises this latest star film drama is all that is claimed for it; a really wonderful picture, perfect in its photography, cleverly produced and with a cast of competent screen artists, headed by that eminent actor, Tyrone Power. "Where Are My Children?" comes to us labeled "a smashing darling subject, done in a smashing darling way." It is the most impressive, forceful and sensational motion picture yet presented to the public. This film drama is not the type of picture known as the Underworld or White Slave picture, it is on a much higher plane, being a clean, interesting story throughout, with an educational value which is worth its weight in gold.

"Everyone in town is talking about "Where Are My Children?" and everyone in town will be given the opportunity of witnessing the film at the White before the week ends, as it will run up to and including next Saturday with special matinees on Wednesday as well as Saturday.

Rev. J. M. Caldwell Says:

"Pastor of the Westminster Church, San Francisco. "I was one of the guests at the exhibition in San Francisco of the picture, "Where Are My Children?" I not only approve, but sincerely wish every woman and especially every young woman in this city, state and land, might see and accept its powerful lesson." The climax of the picture comes, when Tyrone Power, in the part of the avenging district attorney, finds that his own wife has been one of the patients of Dr. Maflit, who he prosecutes for matricide.

"The Mission Play" Coming

Taking the golden glory of California days to the millions of Americans who may never hope to come themselves to California, the world famous Mission Play, will leave its home in San Gabriel early in September for a tour of the principle cities of the United States that will last for more than two years.

The dates at the White theater are Monday and Tuesday nights, September 11-12.

When the Mission Play, which has been called by Dr. Henry Van Dyke, "the greatest American pageant," was written, it never was intended that it should be taken away from that sunny atmosphere in which it was born and has had its being. The Mission Play is to America what the Passion Play of Oberammergau is to Europe. It is the American manifestation of that passion of love and suffering as old as humanity; touching the heart of men to the Power that is over all. It has given to men a series of pictures as broad as all humanity; a single picture in the whole presentation which lingers in the heart after the last curtain has fallen as a blessing from an old man's lips will linger.

But all men cannot come to Calvary, although each one bears the cross. There were and are thousands who may never come. And so the call has come, strong and stronger over years, from those who could not come to San Gabriel—and this demand has become so insistent that the author of the play, John Steven McGroarty, has yielded to it; and after 861 performances in its own specially constructed play house, at San Gabriel, the Mission Play is to go out and shed its light and beauty upon the world of America.

The Mission Play will go upon its tour with all the sumptuous settings which have marked its productions at San Gabriel—the productions which have drawn thousands and which have spread the fame of the play around the world. It will carry nearly on hundred people, making it the largest traveling troupe on the road. These people, most of them, grew up around San Gabriel, where the play grew up, and while they are not professional actors, neither are they amateurs. They have grown into the play, as the play has grown a part of their lives. They are Californians, real Californians. Some of them are descendants of the first Spanish families that settled in the province of California. The Indians in the play are California Indians.

Lillian Russell's Beauty Talks

HAY FEVER EXPERIENCES.

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A number of my friends who usually suffer from hay fever each year this summer learned what can be accomplished by dieting. Several entirely escaped what is certainly a terrible affliction by following this simple course.

A young woman of my acquaintance last winter accumulated so much weight that she was uncomfortable. Upon the advice of her physician she began to diet. She ate plenty to nourish her and satisfy her appetite, but by following a scientific course reduced her weight in normal in a short time. This experience gave her confidence in dieting. Early in the spring her doctor remarked, "Why not go on a diet and avoid hay fever this season?" She began to diet early in the season and for a few days ate very little food, but drank buttermilk. For the first time in her life she passed through a season without hay fever.

Others met with similar experience. One man was so happy he could escape the annoyance by dieting that he fasted for several days for fear he would run chances by eating. He too, escaped his usual attack of fever and was so overjoyed by the results of his experience that he is now very particular about what he eats.

It is really remarkable what can be accomplished by a proper selection of food. The federal authority realizes this fact and has sent millions on the subject of food values. By paying proper heed to your natural and your weight on reduce. Some people need more fatty foods than others. Others should avoid starch.

For this reason I believe it pays to secure scientific advice on the subject. If it is your desire to adopt a diet that will prove beneficial, science has made great progress in plotting

MINISTERIAL UNION POSTPONES SESSION

Will Meet Next Monday on Account of Labor Day

On account of Labor Day, the regular meeting of the Fresno Ministerial Union for the fall season, which was scheduled for today, has been postponed until next Monday morning. Plans for the ensuing year will be discussed at the meeting, and a full attendance is expected, as all local pastors have returned from their vacations. Evening services at all churches were resumed last night.

It is doubtful that an engagement of Billy Sunday can be secured even in 1917, according to Rev. Charles L. Reid, president of the Ministerial Union. A committee of ministers is now engaged in the attempt to secure an evangelist of note to preside over a series of revival meetings in Fresno, but the whole matter is as yet unsettled.

CHINESE LIBRARY TO BE OPENED ON FRIDAY

Plans for the opening of the Chinese library at 1043 G street next Friday are practically completed. The library will be operated under the auspices of the Chinese Nationalist Society of Fresno.

It is the aim of the Chinese in charge of the work, to furnish English and Chinese periodicals and books to all members of the race who live in the valley. Entertainments of a literary nature will be held from time to time in an adjacent hall.

An appeal has been made to the public to furnish any books or magazines for which they have no further use. Several volumes and a large number of magazines have already been contributed.

THEODORE ROBERTS HEADS WHITE SLAVE GANG-KINEMA



Marie Doro in "Common Ground" (Lasky) Marie Doro, caught in toils, is saved by Tom Meighan, in "Common Ground" —Kinema

White slave pictures and all pictures treating of those subjects that deal with the unmentionable are to be avoided unless presented properly and by a producer of repute.

So that when Lasky undertakes a production as forceful, drama as "Common Ground" dealing with delicate a subject as experiments in the regeneration of the girls of the street, and places therein such able stars as Theodore Roberts to play that hairy nasty part of head of the ring, Marie Doro as the victim and heroic Tom Meighan as the Judge—then you can rest assured that delicacy and force have been properly measured.

Some May Be Surprised

To Learn of Conditions

Tom Meighan, in the course of his investigation, finds conditions that warrant the severest form of attack, and it is on this plan of action of his that the story hinges.

Tom Meighan decides to experiment and thus get at the head of the gang.

in a suitable and clever manner. You can leave it to Lasky that no crude methods, no bald and blatant scenes will be used in depicting at the rail offenders, but a cleverly worked out plan is started.

It is, however, interrupted by Theodore Roberts, the wily old politician (we recommend this characterization almost as much as we did his "bum" part in "Dream Girl") who contemplates and gets the Judge in a compromising position which upsets plans until after a startling and novel trend of incidents, everything turns against him and a happy ending culminates, leaving a pleasant taste in the mouth.

Life is Short Enough

Let's Enjoy It Now

This presentation brings up none of the cordialities of this business, and does bring up a great deal of beauty, leaving us feeling that life is worth while and that we can all be of some use, even when it comes to the meeting of the very worst conditions possible.

The uneven patronage of a restaurant makes it necessary that every restaurant should have a large cold refrigerator. The uneaten meats and fish of one day are put back in the icebox. It sometimes happens that a fish or a bowl will be thawed out and refrozen several times before being served. Cases of food poison ranging from mild diarrhea to violent attacks are not unusual among patrons of restaurants.

For protection against the danger from spoiled food the patron must depend on his taste and sense of smell, the reputation of the establishment, and the competency of the local health department. To protect against the dangers of typhoid and other forms of food borne contagion health departments have and there require periodic examination of waiters and cooks.

Kendall of Northwest University gives the following experience: Among 5000 employees of a large department store seventeen cases of typhoid fever developed within two weeks. There was little typhoid in the city. Obviously there must be some cause for the disease among this group. Kendall found no cause within the department store. The employees ate their luncheon at a nearby restaurant. Several employees of this restaurant had typhoid recently. A recently convalescent waitress was found at work. When the restaurant was closed, typhoid ceased appearing among the department store employees who had been patrons.

The department store maintained a large restaurant, employing about 225 cooks, waiters, and dishwashers. There was a possibility that some of the restaurant employees might have eaten in the nearby restaurant, and the managers were anxious to be on the safe side.

The cooks, waiters and dishwashers were called together for a lecture on the method by which typhoid is spread. A nurse was employed to see that every restaurant employee washed his hands at morning, noon and after each absence during the day. The nurse saw that the hand washing was thoroughly done.

To make certain that there were no carriers of typhoid among the cooks and waiters, each was given a blood examination. One叙事者 was found. She was a woman who was convalescent from an illness of several weeks. Her illness had not been supposed to be

acute, but she was still ill.

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Eliot E. Bradley

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How to Keep Well, Talks on Health

By DR. W. A. EVANS

Professor of Hygiene in Northwestern University and Former Health Commissioner of Chicago

CONTAGION IN FOOD

A cook in a private family might be a typhoid carrier without infecting many people. On the other hand, a typhoid carrier in a restaurant is in position to infect a great many people. Economic conditions and other considerations force a very large part of a city population to eat one meal a day at least in restaurants. Furthermore, the tendency is on the increase. Not only is there danger from infection with typhoid, but venereal disease and some other diseases can be spread by infected cooks and waiters.

INFANTILE PARALYSIS

M. W. J. writes: "Are there two kinds of infantile paralysis, one contagious and one which is not?"

"How long does it take a case to develop after a child has been exposed?"

"Under what conditions do other children not take it and why?"

"Should children be allowed at any public gatherings in the small country towns?"

"Should a child who lost the use of his limbs for several days be allowed to go to school?" No case developed from contact with this child. The case was the only one in town and was about eight weeks ago. But on account of the present conditions I have thought it should have been isolated, but the physician says it was the kind of infantile paralysis which is not contagious. Your opinion will be appreciated."

"How long does it take to get rid of typhoid?" No case developed from contact with this child. The case was the only one in town and was about eight weeks ago. But on account of the present conditions I have thought it should have been isolated, but the physician says it was the kind of infantile paralysis which is not contagious. Your opinion will be appreciated."

"The disease commonly known as infantile paralysis is of only one kind, so far as quarantine is concerned."

"About eight days."

"The probability is that every person in contact with a case of infantile paralysis gets the organism in his nose, 90% of those who get the organism in the nose develop typical infantile paralysis; some develop mild infections, which are diagnosed variously as bowel attacks, colds and mild fevers, while some carry the disease around but do not themselves get sick."

"The reason why one person has a severe infection, another a mild one, and a third an infection without symptoms no one knows. Your observation is correct. The rule is that the disease paralyzes more than one member of a family. The others either have it very mildly or else have the organism in the nose but have no symptoms."

"Not if infantile paralysis is in the town."

"The disease might have been due to another cause, but this should only be decided after very thorough examination, including laboratory testing."

"BRIGHT'S DISEASE"

Ellen writes: "Am a woman of 43 years. Hands swell night and morning, especially morning. Feet sometimes swell. Face a little puffy from lower part of nose toward corner of mouth. Heart beats eighty-eight at four per minute. Occasionally it beats slower and then quickly. Kidneys act frequently."

"Is it harmful to take the drugs above mentioned on the same day?"

"What would you recommend?"

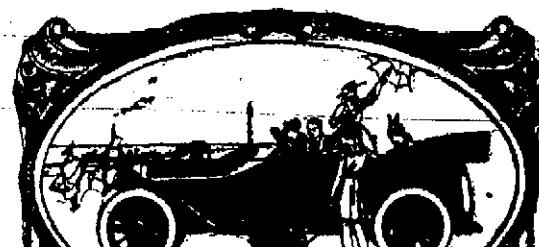
"REPLY"

"1. Bright's disease."

"2. They will do you neither good nor harm when taken on the same day or on different days."

"3. That you have a careful examination."

"Have taken Horrocks' acid propyl, including urinalysis."



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SELMANS THANK PRESIDENT WILSON

Wire Appreciation for Averting Big Railroad Strike

SELMA, Sept. 3.—Selma, "The Home of the Peach," manifested its thanks to President Wilson for his efforts in averting the railroad strike by passing an ameliorative resolution at the band concert held in Lincoln park last night. The resolutions, representing the sentiments of the crowd of four thousand people who were gathered at the concert and who were interested in the movement of crops of this section, were telegraphed to President Wilson last night. Credit for the thoughtful expression of appreciation is due John Rorden, prime mover in the organization of the California Peach Growers and director from this district. The resolution was suggested to the concert audience by Attorney W. B. Good and upon presentation found a hearty chorus of seconds and was carried with a rousing unanimous vote. Only one voice broke the silence when the negative vote was called for, and that came from a man in an automobile in the edge of the crowd who thought the chairman was calling for affirmatives and who registered a hearty "aye." The resolutions which were wired to the President were as follows:

"To the President of the United States,

"Washington, D. C.—

"We the citizens of Selma and vicinity, four thousand strong, being now assembled at our usual Saturday evening summer band concert, do hereby acknowledge our appreciation and our admiration of your strenuous heroic and untiring efforts in averting the pending railroad strike.

"A general railroad strike at the present time, to our community, on account of green fruit and other shipments going forward, would be almost a state and national calamity.

"We therefore, as such citizens, hereby deem it our duty as well as our great privilege to thus acknowledge our indebtedness.

(Signed)

CITIZENS OF SELMA AND VICINITY.

BIG ENROLLMENT AT KERN COLLEGE

BAKERSFIELD, Sept. 3.—The coming year will be a banner one for the junior college of Kern county union high school, according to Paul Vander Eika, principal of the junior college. He said that there would be about 200 Freshman and junior college men this year. The attendance at Kern county high probably will reach 400 this year. School opens September 11 and matriculation of students will be held September 11.

LEMOORE

LEMOORE, Sept. 3.—Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Graham, who have been spending the past two months in the east, have returned home.

Miss Vera Lang will leave Saturday for Westwood, where she will visit her brother for a fortnight.

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AUBERRY

AUBERRY, Sept. 3.—Miss Rose Bowell of Fresno stopped off at Auberry on her way to Cascade last Thursday to have a chat with old friends.

H. S. Brown of Fresno, representing a San Francisco house, was registered at the Auberry Hotel last Friday.

Nimrods from Fresno and surrounding territory were plentiful in this neighborhood Saturday, mingling with the dove family.

Mrs. Frank Prettyman of Prather was recently the recipient of a fine string of mountain trout as one would wish to see. Her son, Eli, who is up with her at the castle back of Bakersfield, was the donor.

The Nelson brothers, Will and Alvin, have disposed of their cattle holdings in this neighborhood to Mr. Hansen, a Reedley butcher. Alvin will go to work on his father's ranch near Reedley, while Will will again rejoin the U. S. Marine corps.

Mrs. Chas. Blakley, wife of a prominent rancher of this place, will soon start for a visit with her mother and sisters, who reside in London, Eng. Her numerous friends here wish her a pleasant voyage and a safe return.

Quite a number of Auberryites are preparing to go down to Fresno to see the sights on Labor Day.

Mrs. E. W. Parkinson leaves today for Fresno to take in the sights on Labor Day. She will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Thorp, 3424 Kern street, during her short stay.

T. E. Brennan, who for some time past has been in charge of the school in the Indian Mission, has hereinafter been transferred to a much larger and more remunerative field and took his departure Saturday for the Navajo and Indian School in Arizona. Mr. Brennan, since his stay here, made numerous friends by his genial and courteous manner, and is well liked by all in his new field.

Woman Writer Off for Front; Failed as Red Cross Nurse

BAKERSFIELD, Sept. 3.—Miss Elizabeth Fraiser, former "professor of English" in Kern County High School and writer of short stories for magazines, having failed of her plans to go to Europe as a red cross nurse, has crossed the Atlantic to be a war correspondent for some of the magazines. She is a sister of Mrs. Thomas W. Jaynes of Bakersfield.

MAY REDUCE RATE IN KINGS 16 CENTS

Tax Levy to Be Made Today by Supervisors at Hanford

HANFORD, Sept. 3.—A reduction of 16 cents may be anticipated in the tax rate for Kings county, which will be considered tomorrow by the supervisors. It is anticipated that the rate will be \$2.49 per \$100 valuation against \$2.65 past year. County Auditor D. Dunn Rees, hopes that the will be able to present figures to the board that will make the reduction even larger.

An increase of 5 cents will probably be made in the general rate with a reduction of 5 cents on the school rate. Six cents will also be saved with the P. P. I. E. tax no longer to be imposed. A slight reduction in the county highway bond tax will also be made.

RUSHING WORK ON KINGS FRUIT

HANFORD, Sept. 3.—With the barges on fruit shipments lifted by the railroads, the packing houses and packers are all at work again. Tomorrow morning hundreds of pickers will be taken to the Lucern and other vineyards to rush the picking that has been delayed two or three days owing to the fear of a strike.

At present there is a shortage of help in the vineyards, despite the fact that all of the canneries have closed down. Pickers are being imported from outside towns.

PRIZE FOR BEST RIVERBANK LAWN

LOS BANOS, Sept. 3.—Schools of the West Side districts near Los Banos begin their fall terms Monday, September 7, as follows: Center school Mrs. Iva Lockhart and Miss Alice Lucy Wilson; Sunset, Mrs. Marguerite Smith with Miss Madeline Dilley substituting until the Xmas holidays; Mono school opens September 18; Volts some time the latter part of the month and Los Banos, September 11.

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HARDWICK

HARDWICK, Sept. 3.—While at an auction sale on the Padlock near Guerneville, Wednesday afternoon, a horse and buggy belonging to Charles Sparks of Hardwick was stolen. Next day the horse and buggy were brought back and tied within a quarter of a mile from the place where they were taken. The identity of the thief has not been learned.

An unfortunate accident occurred Thursday morning when Russel Blowers, the 13 year old son of R. M. Blowers, broke his right arm above the wrist while cranking an automobile. The injury is not considered serious.

Dr. Bowerman, who for two years has practiced medicine here, moved to Strathmore last week to take up his profession there. This leaves Hardwick for a while at least, with out a doctor.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Lissane and daughters, Miss Louise and Eddie Lissane, pioneer residents of this district, left for Oakland, Friday night to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Doggett have returned from a week's vacation in Alameda.

TRANQUILLITY

TRANQUILLITY, Sept. 3.—Rev. Gilstrap and Mr. Phillips of Arroyo Grande were visitors at the B. R. Hays home recently.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Meyer have returned to Lemoore after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meyer.

Mrs. C. A. West of the Cantan district has returned home from a week's visit with relatives in Fresno and Selma.

J. M. Jones left Tuesday for his former home in York, Neb.

J. E. Tuttle, G. E. York, T. L. Voorhees and family are enjoying an outing in the Sierras.

Ellsworth Godrich left Monday for Cuthbertson, where he will attend high school this year.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Bargis and little son have moved to Alpine.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Oliver have returned to their home here after an extended stay in Nebraska.

Geo. Stagnani visited with Bladura friends Sunday.

Mr. R. C. Brown is recovering from a recent illness.

RIVERDALE SCHOOLS WILL OPEN MONDAY

Many Cases of Eggs Are Shipped to Different Centers

RIVERDALE, Sept. 3.—The high school will open next Monday. Five new teachers have been engaged and five new courses of study will be introduced.

Mr. and Mrs. Earle Brown are entertaining the former's father, of San Jose.

A total of 54 cases of eggs were shipped from Riverdale this week, 26 to Los Angeles, 18 to San Francisco and 10 cases to Fresno. A great deal of hay has gone out too; one car load to Los Angeles and one to Valley Ford, one car load of corn, also a car load of hogs.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Eaton and son Charles, left the latter part of the week for Los Angeles and other southern points. They were accompanied by Dr. C. W. Hardman of Lodi.

J. B. Lewis inquired down from Fresno Friday to attend to business affairs.

Mrs. Carstine Jensen and family returned home Friday from Santa Cruz, where they have been enjoying a fortnight.

H. L. Gillis made a trip to General Grant Park Sunday and returned with Mrs. Sien and Mrs. V. L. Altkirk and small son.

Interest is manifested in the exhibits to be sent to the County Fair this year. All the farmers who have raised choice vegetables and fruits have contributed liberally.

Mr. Paul McLean is down from San Francisco, visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Falconbury have as their guest house Miss Dulah of Coalinga, who is en route from a delightful summer in Los Angeles.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the U. B. church enjoyed a very pleasant evening Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Trivoli. The young people drove out in a hay wagon. Refreshments were served during the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Huntington are visiting the latter's mother in Fresno for a few days.

MARICOPA

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Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lockhart of San Jose arrived Thursday evening and are visiting relatives.

Miss Irene Graham left for Tracy Thursday evening to join her parents, Prof. and Mrs. A. A. Graham. Her position as cashier at Miller & Lux department store is being filled by Miss Ruth Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Vega and family are on a month's vacation at Santa Cruz.

Wm. Thompson, with his wife and baby boy, returned Sunday from Los Angeles, where he went two weeks ago for a short vacation and to bring his family home, they having spent the summer there.

Lyde Bock is spending a week in Bakersfield, where he is visiting his friend, Lewis Tangen, who formerly resided in this city.

The John Wall family are moving to Taft this week, Mr. Wall being now employed near that city.

C. L. Hutchinson and family returned Monday from Los Angeles, where he went to bring home his family, who have been spending the heated season in the Angel City.

E. E. Ballagh leaves this morning for Los Angeles to spend Sunday and Labor Day with his family in Los Angeles, where they are spending the summer there.

C. S. Hutchinson, manager of the Maricopa Drug Company, returned on Thursday from a two week's vacation in the northern portion of the state.

TERRA BELLA

TERRA BELLA, Sept. 3.—Miss Margaret Box of Los Angeles has been engaged to teach the primary grades in the Terra Bella grammar schools in the coming year, to succeed Miss Marion Miller, resigned. Miss Miller gave up the work on account of the death of her brother, who was killed in an automobile accident at Oakland last week. Miss Helen G. Jones will be principal of the schools again this year.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Salladay and son have returned from a summer's outing at Hermosa Beach.

Mrs. A. S. Clover is visiting friends at Atwater.

Miss Edith Rickey has returned from an extended visit in Iowa and Illinois.

C. E. Nunnelaker and family are visiting in the south.

Mrs. Eddie Reeves and two sons are spending a few weeks at Southern California points.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Balsam were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. French of Point Richmond this past week. Mrs. Louise Balsam returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hastings and the Misses Edith and Anna Porch have returned from Pismo Beach.

Miss Ethel Hastings has accepted a position as teacher in the Tulare public schools.

Rev. Wm. Eddie of Long Beach will occupy the Presbyterian pulpit here Sunday, Sept. 10.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hewey left recently for Los Angeles and San Diego.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Van Buskirk arrived Thursday from Lodi for a two weeks' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Woodward.

I. Gardiner and family and W. H. Chandler are visiting in San Francisco and vicinity.

Owen McCloskey is driving a new touring car.

REAL ESTATE-City

LOTS for sale or will build to suit; easy terms. Thomas, Phone 2519-M.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Completely furnished modern 4-room bungalow with sleeping porch. 1403 West Ave., cor. San Pablo. Call between 12 and 3 p.m.

SHAD in 13 acre subdivision close in Fresno. 13.37 acres, well leveled in strawberries. 5 room house, barn, out-buildings, fine pumping plant. NEW 5 room bungalow, plastered, brick foundation, 1/2 acre ground, new garage. 1004 Olive Ave., car tracks on City Ave. \$300, \$100 cash, balance \$10 per month.

24x50 and 7 room house, modern bungalow, nice garage, in 800 block on Foothill Ave. Worth \$4500; 1000 for 6000.

house and garage. 1044 Foothill camp, only \$1500. If you want new bungalows or residences, or lots, any part of city, I have them.

Merger, with J. E. WRIGHT, 201 Rowell Bldg.

45 FEET, Thomas Ave., 1215; terms, 150. F.M.T. corner Wishon Ave., \$1000, one-half cash.

1/4 ACRE, Tulare Ave. A beautiful home site.

4-ROOM house, Arlington Heights, at a bargain.

GEORGE S. PETERSON, 621 Rowell Bldg.

AEROPHANE bungalow, six rooms, very well built; two lots.

COTTAGE, five rooms, on San Pablo Avenue. \$4000, terms.

GLENN AVENUE, almost new five room bungalow; two lots; all conveniences, lawn.

TWO ROOMS, two lots, city water, electricity, graded street. \$750; \$300 down, balance like rent.

THIS BARGAIN \$1250. Almost new modern cottage, five large rooms, excellent plumbing; also large tank house with two rooms; two lots; garage, good terms.

ONE-ROOM house and two corner lots: north of Olive Ave.; some shade trees and grape vines. Price \$750, \$100 cash and \$10 per month.

60-FOOT corner lot in Arlington Heights; good location. Price \$600, \$100 cash and \$10 per month.

EWING, McDANIEL & MEUX 1038 J Street

LEVY BROS. Two lots, San Pablo Ave., near Olive East frontage \$400 Terms, \$20 cash; \$10 per month

Four corner lots, Paraiso Way. Price \$500 for all easy terms

Attractive home Close-in Handicapped all schools Sleeping porch Price \$4,000 Easy terms

We make a specialty of city properties. Many choice bargains in bungalows and houses on hand.

LEVY BROS. "Always At Your Service" Real Estate, Insurance, Loans 1523 Fresno St. Phone 240 or 233

2 1/2 LOTS, four room house, in restricted tract on car line, \$1000, \$150 down, \$12 a month.

GUY STOCKTON 1501 "I" St., Cor. Merced

\$300 a lot, \$2 down, \$8 a month; 1 block north of Belmont; cement sidewalks, curb, city water, gas, electricity.

GUY STOCKTON Phone 369 1501 "I" St., Cor. Merced

1/4 ACRE rich garden soil, new four room bungalow, east front, in restricted tract on car line, \$1000, \$150 down, \$12 a month, which includes interest.

GUY STOCKTON Phone 369 1501 "I" St., Cor. Merced

1-ROOM house, two lots, plenty of shade on Foothill Ave. \$2700, \$25 down, \$25 a month.

GUY STOCKTON Phone 369 1501 "I" St., Cor. Merced

SMALL HOUSE, one acre of ground on Van Ness Ave., near Normal School. \$4,000, \$500 down, \$400 a month.

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FOR SALE—A beautiful cement home in the Porter tract; exclusive exterior all rooms large and airy; cement garage. Why pay rent when you can own your own home on our easy term plan.

JOHN G. PORTER, Phone 782, 1030 Mariposa Street.

FINANCIAL

MONEY to lend on improved property, vineyard, orchard, farm, city property. Any amount from \$1,000 up. Low interest rate. No commission. Address "E", P. O. Box 774, Fresno.

WANTED—Mortgage on improved country and city property; current interest rates. Bank and Trust Company of Central California, Fresno.

MONEY LOANED, large, small amounts, contracts, notes, mortgages bought. R. S. Thompson Co., 1149 J Street.

MONEY to loan, 1 to 5 per cent, 1 to 5 years. R. S. Thompson, First Natl. Bank Bldg.

140,000 to LOAN in amounts to suit. G. A. GARRETT, Phone 2394

MONEY TO LOAN, first mortgage, city or country, J. J. Graves, Room 512, Market St., San Francisco.

MONEY to loan on city property and for building purposes. STANFORD, FOSS, BURNS CO., Phone 446, 1238 Eye St.

1000 TO LOAN on city or country property. KITTRELL-REDDEN CO., 101-102 Cory Bldg., Fresno, Cal.

RURAL CREDIT loans on farm property. Quick action. Write Louis M. Johnson, Room No. 24, Republican Bldg.

WANTED to borrow from \$200 to \$2000 on stock. Will pay 10 per cent. R. S. Thompson Co., 1149 J Street.

WANTED to loan up to \$1500 per year for 3 or 4 years. Also \$500 rural credit loans. T. G. Spike, Latina, Calif.

16 TO \$500 loaned owners of furniture, be salaried persons, permanently employed, without security; unequal rates, best and most private terms. Fresno Home Assurance Co., Room 106, Republican Bldg.

LOTS OF MONEY TO LOAN, 1000 to 1500, 1500 to 2000, 2000 to 2500, 2500 to 3000, 3000 to 3500, 3500 to 4000, 4000 to 4500, 4500 to 5000, 5000 to 5500, 5500 to 6000, 6000 to 6500, 6500 to 7000, 7000 to 7500, 7500 to 8000, 8000 to 8500, 8500 to 9000, 9000 to 9500, 9500 to 10000, 10000 to 10500, 10500 to 11000, 11000 to 11500, 11500 to 12000, 12000 to 12500, 12500 to 13000, 13000 to 13500, 13500 to 14000, 14000 to 14500, 14500 to 15000, 15000 to 15500, 15500 to 16000, 16000 to 16500, 16500 to 17000, 17000 to 17500, 17500 to 18000, 18000 to 18500, 18500 to 19000, 19000 to 19500, 19500 to 20000, 20000 to 20500, 20500 to 21000, 21000 to 21500, 21500 to 22000, 22000 to 22500, 22500 to 23000, 23000 to 23500, 23500 to 24000, 24000 to 24500, 24500 to 25000, 25000 to 25500, 25500 to 26000, 26000 to 26500, 26500 to 27000, 27000 to 27500, 27500 to 28000, 28000 to 28500, 28500 to 29000, 29000 to 29500, 29500 to 30000, 30000 to 30500, 30500 to 31000, 31000 to 31500, 31500 to 32000, 32000 to 32500, 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ORGANIZED LABOR TO OBSERVE LABOR DAY WITH CELEBRATION

Big Street Parade Will Be Held This Morning at 10 o'clock; Ball Game Will Take Place at Recreation Park and bring the festivities to an end tonight with a grand ball in the Fresno Auditorium. The general committee with representatives from the Fresno Labor Council and the Fresno Building Trades met last night and completed arrangements for the celebration today.

From the crowded condition of the hotels and the enthusiasm that has been aroused it is predicted that the parade will be the largest of marching and biggest in point of marchers that has ever been held in the city with the possible exception of California State Day. All unions that have representatives in the two councils will turn out in full force this morning and will march through the streets of Fresno to the tune of two union bands.

The parade will start promptly at 10 o'clock this morning and all union men are urged to be in line before that hour. The parade will be led by mounted patrolmen, headed by Chief of Police John Goehring. Behind the police will come Leonard's band, then men carrying the banners of the two central bands. Then will follow the officers of the two councils, seated in automobiles. Several local business men have donated cups for the unions making the best showing in the parade and others firms have entered floats. The various locals have also entered floats representing their craft.

Carpenters First in Parade

Following the seniority rule, Carpenters' Union No. 710, the first body to organize in Fresno, will be the first local in the parade today. The locals will fall in as follows:

No. 1, Carpenters; No. 2, Painters.

WILL GRAFT SKIN ON J. L. JOHNSON

Victim of Explosion Will Recover From Body Burns

With an operation today in which forty square inches of skin will be grafted to the limbs of James L. Johnson, proprietor of Johnson's Cleaning Works, a complete recovery is expected. Johnson was severely burned two months ago when a mixture of gasoline exploded, spraying him with the flaming liquid. One entire side of his body was covered by second degree burns, and for several days no hope was entertained for his recovery.

Dr. Kenneth J. Stanford stated last night that the burned area had healed over with the exception of two small spots. A man by the name of F. P. Hunt has consented to furnish the skin, which will be transferred this morning.

Labor Day Committee said yesterday that the saloonkeepers of Fresno had volunteered to close the saloons from 10 to 12 so that the barkeepers could take part in the parade.

The men who have been working for the success of the Labor Day celebration are: Jack Diamond, Charles Dutton and Ed Atwood, Fresno Labor Council; Joe Green, Charles Pilgrim and E. J. G. La Rose, Fresno Building Trades.

The ball game between the two council teams will be held at 2:15 at Recreation Park. The grand ball will be held at the auditorium and hundreds of tickets have been sold.

The Building Trades Council of Tulare will send a strong delegation to take part in the parade and it is thought possible that many of the valley towns will send union men to march in the parade.

Motion pictures will be taken of the parade.

LAST BAND CONCERT APPRECIATED BY MANY

Fully 6,000 Applaud Numbers Rendered by Augmented Band

Fully 6,000 appreciative listeners attended the final band concert of the present season in Court House Park last night and by their applause showed their approval of the program that Conductor Cuyler H. Leonard offered. The feature number of the evening was the Tschakowski overture, "1812," for the effective rendition of which the band had been augmented to thirty-two players. The tramp of marching feet, the ruffle of drums, and finally the Marseillaise constituted the first part of the overture, while at the end—in with the Napoleonic campaign the number represents—the Slav conquerors, and the number ended with a burst of the Russian national hymn. A notable effect was secured during one movement of the overture, with church chimes over an accompaniment of drums.

Two numbers from the 1915 Ralston Pageant, conducted by their composer, Earl Tower, were well received. Conductor Leonard's concert solo was encored twice. "Tobini's 'Hungarian Fantasy'" pleased the audience as did the two numbers from "A Love Episode in Birdland."

COUNTY TAX RATE TO BE SET TODAY

Supervisors Will Open Session; Rate Is About Same as Last Year

Members of the board of supervisors will meet in regular session today in spite of the holiday and will fix the county tax rate. It was announced last night that the tax rate would be no higher than the \$1.65 rate of last year and may be less. This is the most important business scheduled to come before the supervisors during the September session.

The supervisors this week will complete the canvas of votes from the primary election. There are sixty-six precincts yet to be canvassed.

Chris Jorgensen, chairman of the board, said last night that a delegation would be sent on the automobile caravan trip to Sacramento and that if possible the entire board would adjourn and visit the state fair.

ISSUE WARRANT FOR PAT POWERS

A warrant was issued yesterday for the arrest of Pat Powers, charged with the theft of a watch from O. C. Miller, a Santa Fe bridge carpenter. Powers is also wanted for running away from the court house park last Friday, where he was working as a trustee.

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